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RELIGIOUS NOTICE.

The appointments for preaching at The Chapel will be on the 21st, 28th, and 4th Sunday in each month during the year.

W. L. C. RIVET.

BOARD OF POLICE.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Police on the first Monday in January.

An OVERSEER desires a situation. Apply at this office.

BRIGADIER GENERAL JOS. R. DAVIS was in town a few days since.

President Davis and Gen. Jos. E. Johnston arrived at Jackson on Saturday last. We learn that they are now with the army at Grenada.

CAPT. A. P. HILL.—We are gratified to learn that this gentleman has been appointed Judge Advocate on General Lee's staff, with the rank of Colonel.

FROM GRENADA.—We learn that Grant's army has fallen back beyond the Tallahatchie; also, that Sherman's forces, which were advancing by way of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, have gone back to Memphis.

GEN. VAN DORN.—It is reported that this officer, at the head of a large cavalry force, has joined junction with Gen. Forrest, at Jackson, Tenn., and that the combined forces have destroyed all the stores of the enemy at that place, which were said to be immense.

FIRE AT CAMDEN.—We regret to learn that our neighboring village of Camden, in this county, was almost entirely consumed by fire on Wednesday night, 17th inst. A large portion of the principal business houses in the town were destroyed, including the storehouse of Purvis & Evans in which the postoffice was kept. As the fire was discovered to be issuing from two points simultaneously, it was thought to be the work of an incendiary.

THE LEGISLATURE.

MEMPHIS, Dec. 18.—A conference might be a session of the 18th North Carolina Cavalry and Captain Corrigan found the members of the committee below: White, Chappell, represented the 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22d, 23d, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32d, 33d, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42d, 43d, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52d, 53d, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62d, 63d, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72d, 73d, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82d, 83d, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92d, 93d, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102d, 103d, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122d, 123d, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132d, 133d, 134th, 135th, 136th, 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